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GREAT FIGHT DECLARED OFF

The Florida Athletic Club Puts the Kibosh on Arkansas Hot Springs To-day.

FIGHT POSTPONED UNTIL NOVEMBER 11.

Probably a Move in the Interest of El Paso-The Lower Rio Grande Likely to Get the Mill Next Month.

El Paso, Texas, Oct. 21 .- The indications are that the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight will be held in the vicinity of this city, near the point where Captain Jones, of the Texas Rangers, was killed a few years ago. Jones believed at the time he was on Texas soil. Along the Rio Grande river, just below El Paso, there are a number of strips of land formed by the constantly changing course of the river, which are in dispute and over which

NO JURISDICTION IS CLAIMED at present by either the United States or at present by either the United States or Mexico, as the boundary commission has not yet passed upon them. There are some pieces on the left bank belonging to Mexico and some on the right bank belonging to Texas, and some of the owners of these pieces have titles from both the United States and Mexican governments, yet neither of these governments is exercising any jurisdiction over these particular pieces of land. The continuous shifting of the river has caused these islands or strips of land to be considered neutral ground, and it was partly sidered neutral ground, and it was partly to settle these disputes that Mexico and the United States appointed a commission eight years ago to determine

THE EXACT BOUNDARY LINE between the two countries. The claim-ants of the respective lands have been expecting to see the matter settled for the past fifteen years, and it is not likely that the matter can be settled at all soon, as the commissioners have no final jurisdiction in the matter and can only recommend to their respective governments

their findings and agreements.

This state of affairs is due to the utter disregard which the United States govern-ment has paid to the Rio Grande water question for the past fifteen years. As it would take at least several weeks to make the surveys and determine the ownership of the present neutral territory there is now a splendid opportunity for having the proposed contest come off on this ground, where neither government can interfere.

HABEAS CORPUS CASE APPEALED.

Hot Springs, Ark.—Attorney General Kinsworthy went to Little Rock to day with a complete transcript of the evidence and records in the Corbett habeas corpus case, tried on Saturday before Chancery Judge Leatherman. The supreme court will review be same at the on-liest practicable moment and may do it to-day.

General Kinsworthy said that he believed the supreme court would reverse

The Fiorida Athletic club will meet representatives of Corbett and Fitzsimpositively that he will not sign. Brady thinks the president will make an opensays that Julian should bring his man here and let him and Corbett settle the retirement of greenbacks. matter in the arena.

CORRETT-VITZSIMMONS VIGET DECLAREDOFY.

Hot Springs, Ark.—The fight between Corbett and Fitzsimmons is declared off by the Florida Athletic club. At a conference this morning between the managers of Corbett and Fitzsimmons, the club asked that the contest be postponed until November 11. Brady acquiesed, Julian would not. The contest was then declared off. Brady then said his last asy, that Corbett would meet any man in the world, Fitzsimmons preferred on November 11, the man to be named within twenty-four hours. Vendig announced that he would match Maher against Corbett and find some one to take his place that he would match Maher against Corbett and find some one to take his place that he would match Maher against Corbett and Grady and the world, Fitzsimmons preferred on November 11, the man to be named within twenty-four hours. Vendig announced that he would match Maher against Corbett and find some one to take his place that he would match Maher against Corbett and Grady and the world, Fitzsimmons preferred on November 11, the man to be named within twenty-four hours. Vendig announced that he would match Maher against Corbett and find some one to take his place that he would match Maher against Corbett and Grady and the mountains of the dream and found the mine. The mine has not been developed and may not be the Goleonda of dream books and of fairy tales, and 2½ per cent; prime mercantile paper, 4½ @ 6. Silver, 67%; lead, the world of the mountains of the dream and found the mine. The mine has not been developed and may not be the Goleonda of dream books and of fairy tales, and the world, Fitzsimmons, and the mountains of the dream and found the mine. The mine has not been developed and may not be the Goleonda of dream books and of fairy tales, and the mountains of the dream and found the mine. The mine has not been developed and may not be the Goleonda of dream books and of fairy tales, and the mountains of the dream and found the mine. The mine has not been developed and may not be the form the mountains o

Designated Depositary of the United States

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penitentiary.

The New York Herald's correspondent in Rio de Janeiro telegraphs that the Brazilian foreign office has received an important declaration from a England relative to the island of Trindad. No details can be learned, but a hasty summons for a cabinet council has been issued.

A Detroit dispatch says a bliggard to the says and the says a bliggard to the

A Detroit dispatch says a blizzard struck Michigan last night and has been raging with great violence. The mercury has fallen to below freezing point, and the wind has increased from twelve to thirty miles an hour. Nearly every point in the state report flurries of suow.

Gen. Clarkson, representing Senator Allison and Secretary Hann, the personal friend of William McKinley, jr., are a unit for an early presidential convention. Speaker Reed declined to discuss the matter, but Chairman Joseph H. Manley wired from Denver that he hoped the convention would be held in May or early in June, and that he was on his way to in June, and that he was on his way to San Francisco to ascertain what induce ments would be offered for holding the convention there. Senator Thurston is also on the coast and says San Francisco

President Cleveland and cabinet left Washington for Atlanta at 11 a.m. to-

John McCullough Havana algare at

Deadly Duel Near Deaver. Denver, Oct. 21.-Charles Rose is dead and James Girard is dying at Watkins, twenty one miles east of Denver, as the result of a duel with razors. Both men were employed as section hands on the rific railroad. There had been anding between them.

BRIDGL GAVE WAY.

Thirty Persons Suffered Injuries-Two Women and Child Supposed to Have Been Drowned.

New Orleans, Oct. 21 .- The little fron bridge, leading from the Algiers ferry house to the floating wharf where the ferry boat lands, broke down last evening. Thirty persons had bones broken or sustained other more or less serious injuries. Annie Missin, aged 8; Mary the following official announcement was am, aged 11, and an unknown woman who are missing, are supposed to have been drowned.

Later advices say that it is believed all were saved except one woman and two

Daring But Fool Hardy. fool hardy attempt was made yesterday morning by two men to blow up and rob the bank of Hoge, Daly & Co., at Anacon-da, and both men, A. L. Firpo and Will H. Darling, blacksmiths, were captured and

COLORADO KILLING

And Several Others Wounded-A Warning to Peacemakers.

Victor, Colo., Oct. 21 .- In a fight at the killed, and Frank Smith, T. F. Burt and Andrew Coyle were wounded. Marshal Taylor had taken a gun away from Tom Cook, who was having some trouble with his wife. Cook and his friend, Smith, then went to Taylor's house armed, and demanded a return of his gun. Taylor and his friends then barricaded the door. Benton came to act as peace-maker, and the duel between him and Smith resulted in seven shots being fired. The others wounded were bystauders.

Destructive Prairie Fire.

Topeks, Kas., Oct. 21.-During the past four days a destructive prairie fire 000 acres have been thus devastated.

SILVER ADVOCATES.

of Colorado's Mineral Output and Her Bright Prospects.

Denver, Oct. 21 .- A special to the Times from Washington says: Senator Teller arrived here last night to attend a staunchly for silver as ever. While he is mons to-day for a discussion of the articles of agreement, which Julian, who has full power from Fitzsimmons to act, says the gill not sign. Brady

Four Persons Killed.

Detroit, Oct. 21.—Don. M. Dickinson
was defeated for the nomination for
mayor in the Democratic city convention mayor in the Democratic city convention to-day. The nomines is Alderman Sam Golwater, labor candidate, who received fifty-one votes to thirty-four for Dickinson on the first ballot,

Execution Postponed. Denver, Oct. 21 .- The supreme court having granted a writ of habeas corpus in the case of Abe Taylor, under sentence of death for the murder of the town marshal at Alamosa, the execution set for this week at Canon City is postponed. The rehearing will probably take place within two weeks.

KANSAS COAL STRIKERS. Hundreds of Coal Miners Near Leav enworth Birike for Advance of Wages.

Leavenworth, Kas., Oct. 21.-Three day.

The Chicago health department to-day declared diphtheria and typhoid fever epedemic in Chicago. The department reported 830 new cases of diphtheria last reported 830 new cases of diphtheria last week, 49 4-10 per cent of which were fatal. Charged to impure water.

At New Orleans to-day cotton futures dropped 42 points and great excitement prevailed. Emmet & Pusch, cotton brokers, gave notice of their inability to meet obligations.

hundred miners employed at the North Leavenworth coal sheft, quit werk to-day and visited the Home Riverside mines for the purpose of inducing the men amployed there to quit. The North Leavenworth coal sheft, quit werk to-day and visited the Home Riverside mines for the purpose of inducing the men amployed there to quit. The North Leavenworth coal sheft, quit werk to-day and visited the Home Riverside mines for the purpose of inducing the men amployed there to quit. The North Leavenworth coal sheft, quit werk to-day and visited the Home Riverside mines for the purpose of inducing the men amployed at the North Leavenworth coal sheft, quit werk to-day and visited the Home Riverside mines for the purpose of inducing the men amployed at the North Leavenworth coal sheft, quit werk to-day and visited the Home Riverside mines for the purpose of inducing the men amployed at the North Leavenworth coal sheft, quit werk to-day and visited the Home Riverside mines for the purpose of inducing the men amployed there to quit. The North Leavenworth coal sheft, quit werk to-day and visited the Home Riverside mines for the purpose of inducing the men amployed there to quit. The North Leavenworth coal sheft, quit werk to-day and visited the Home Riverside mines for the purpose of inducing the purpose of inducing the purpose of inducing the men amployed the purpose of inducing the men amployed the purpose of inducing the purpose of inducing the purpose of inducing the purpose of inducing the purpose of

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THE VENEZUELAN TROUBLES

Great Britain Issues an Official Note Touching the Reply Sent to President Crespo.

HARD KNOCKS FOR NEW YORK TRIBUNE

Some Smooth Talk by the Two Gazettes-Another Declaration on the Monroe Doctrine.

made to-day:

"In consequence of Venezuela's not offering an apology or reparation for the Urana incident, the Marquis of Salis-bury has taken steps to inform her as to what reparation Great Britain requires; Daring But Feel Hardy. but, as relations between the two coun-Butte, Mont., Oct. 21.—A daring but trics have been broken off for some years, the communication was not sent through the direct diplomatic channel. As the document has not reached its destination it is not considered desirable to give its contents, but it is couched in forcible tones and points out that Great Britain will not permit Venezuela to overstep the boundaries marked by the courses of the rivers Cuyuna and Amacura, but is willing that the question as to other disputed territory should be submitted to arbitra-

SMOOTH TALK FOR AMERICAN BARS. The Westminster Gazette this afternoon says: "Great Britain and the United gold field yesterday, Daniel Benton, forStates are not going to be led by the ears
by a pack of Venezuelans. President
ward, coming out at the breast a
Cleveland knows that we have no intention of land-grabbing in South America side and arm were badly brussed. and Monroeism has no better friend than the old country. In due time Secretary Olney will no doubt tell the Venezuelans that they can not expect the United States spoke a word. to esponse the quarrel when they deliber- "There are se ately presume, on their limited resources, to attempt to bluff a great power." UNCLE SAM NOT A BLATHERSKITE.

The St. James Gazette says: "The very able New York Post fairly applies the term, blatherskite, to the Tribune and similar publications and politicians, whose mouthings on Venezuelans affairs are an example of their habitual letting loose of foaming tall talk. The United has swept over parts of four counties in States government, however, is no blathwestern Kausas and a large scope of erskite and does not listen to the opinions country in eastern Colorado. Over 200, of advisers of that order."

Berlin, Oct. 21 .- A dispatch to the Tag-Senator Teller Talks Entertainingly O. Adelsheim and wife committed suicide to-day.

Mexican Cattle.

Tombstone, A. T., Oct. 21.—In an in-held a mass meeting and Colfax county terview here, J. Wallace, a large cattle residents will join in offering a large reowner, of Mexico, said that there had been a great advance in the price and de-mand of cattle during the past year or so, and more especially recently. Within tieved the supreme court would reverse the chancellor's judgment, but refused to degree Masons, and will remain here unsay why he thought so. He also said that the decision was not men that Colorado is on the eve of a new \$7 a head in American money, not includcorrect. He would not disclose, if he knew, what action Gov. Clarke would take should the supreme court sustain diets that Cripple Creek will be the greatest mining camp in the world. He specific consumed in the United States, greatest mining camp in the world. He beef is consumed in the United States, says, however, notwithstanding the states' but larger quantities than ever before

A Marvelous Yarn.

Phoenix, A. T., Oct. 21.-B. Elliott is in Phoenix. He is the Kansas man whose fame arose with a dream. He dreamed that his brother, lost to his

here in their special car about 1 o'clock Sunday next.

TO-DAY'S CONDENSATIONS.

At St. Louis the jury in the trial of Mand Lewis, for the murder of State Senator Peter Morrissey, in her house of ill repute, last May, returned a verdict of murder in the second degree, and assessed her punishment at fifteen years in the penitentiary.

The New York Herald's correspondent

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The New York Herald's correspondent ber, 29%. Oats, October, 17%; December, 60¼. Corn, October, 29½; December, 60½. Corn, October, 17%; December, 60½. Corn, October, 17%; December, 4000; Market steady; Lambs, \$2.00 & \$3.15.

Catholic church woulk hold. The entire sermon church woulk hold. The entire sermon will appear word for word in Monday evening's Optic. The east side Catholic church choir rendered some of the choicest music ever heard in the city, being assisted by Mrs. Hernandez and Miss Edith Rothgeb.

After the beautiful services of the Catholic church were over, a reception was held by Cardinal Gibbons and Archbishop Chapelle at the parcochial residence, which was attended by hundreds, the mayor and the city council attending both the services and reception in a body.

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DAN YOUNG'S DEATH.

Colfax County's Latest Mystery Turns

Out to Be a Cold-Blooded Assassination.

Brief announcement of the death of Dan J. Young, for years a leading stockman of Colfax county, was made in these The Raton Reporter at hand this morn-

ing says: "Wednesday about noon two children discovered his team standing in the road about five miles northeast of Folsom. Not seeing any driver they looked in the bed of the wagon where they discovered Mr. Young lying still as if dead. They unhitched the horses and rode to the ranch of Mrs. Barto Martin, Mr. Young's sister, about seven miles distant, who brought him to her house. It was discovered that he had been shot with a large calibered gun in the right side, the ball ranging up-ward, coming out at the breast a little to the left. The left side of his face, his left

"Mrs. Martin sent for assistance and made every effort to revive him and although he lived until 8:30 p.m. he never

"There are several theories as to the probable cause of his murder, but there is, as far as we have been able to ascertain, absolutely no clue to the party or parties who did the deed or the reason for it. One theory advanced is that he probably discovered some one stealing cattle or horses and that he was put out of the way for that reason, as it is asserted that east ern Colfax and western Union counties are infested with a large organized band of cattle and horse thieves."

The body was brought to Raton on Saturday and the funeral took place that afternoon. The business houses, as a mark of respect, were closed from 2 to 4 p. m. County Superintendent of Schools John Morrow and the members of the blatt from Vienna says field marshal, D. city school board, of which he was one,

acted as pall bearers.

An executive proclamation was issued to-day offering a reward of \$200 for each one implicated in this crime. Raton has

Spiegelberg house with comfortable sit-ting and dining rooms and resumed keeping boarders. She will give single meals or take boarders by the day, week or month. For terms apply to Mrs. M. Bush, Santa Fe, N. M.

Manta Fe 17, Madrid 4. With a good team behind Wynkoop knowledge for thirty years, had located in Prescott, A. T., and then he dreamed the pleasing sequel that he and his brother traveled to a near-by point, where they found a mine of surpassing and Clarke, who played with the Sauden Witch Harel Salve are well as the most point in the Pecos valley, at Roswell as the most point in the Pecos valley at Roswell as the most point in the Pecos valley at Roswell as the most point in the Pecos valley at Roswell as the most point in the Pecos valley at Roswell as the most point in the Pecos valley at Roswell as the most point in the Pecos valley at Roswell as the most point in the Pecos valley at Rosw Douglass, of the Northwestern league, and Clarke, who played with the Sanden Electrics here in July, were the battery for the visitors. The Santa Fes played ball from the start, the visitors succeeding in making but four hits off Wynkoop, and fanning the air twelve times. The base running of Will Parsons and Webber, and the general all-around playing of Charlie Parsons, Morgan, Ashford, O'Brien and Estes deserve special mention. The visitors had no features to speak of, their playing being very ragged. The home team may close the season in Cerrillos

MULLANE'S COMMENT.

The Pecos Valley Quill Driver Talks of His Towns-A Thrifty Region-Those P. I. & I. Resignations.

Mr. Wm. H. Mullane, editor of the Current at Eddy and the Irrigator at Roswell, in the famous Pecos valley, has columns on Friday last. First reports been in the city for several day-attending had it that he had suffered a fatal fall the church festivities. He declares the from his horse while riding over the city of Eddy to be the most beautiful and attractive of any of its size in New Mexico. It has more than thirty-two miles of shaded streets with scarcely a tree missing. Its drainage is perfect; clear sparkling water flowing on both sides of all its wide streets and a complete system of water works bringing pure water from the foot-hills of the Guadalupes, three miles from town, for culinary and fire protection purposes. A well equipped fire department, electric light, ice factory and amply capitalized mercantile establishments make Eddy a place that any man might be proud to call his home and more especially when its almost perfect climate is considered. "The amount of land under a perfect system of irrigation," said Mr. Mullane, "is 400,00 acres in the Pecos valley. Here the largest storage reservoir on the American conti-nent is located. Near Roswell are grown the finest apples on earth, a reward hav-ing been offered for the fluding of a single wormy apple. The town of Roswell which controls a tract extending for a hundred miles in every direction is peopled with the most energetic and pub-lic spirited set of business men in the territory, and is now grading its streets

and building more than any other town.
"All that the lower Pecos valley contains has grown up in five years. Its great farms, the Tausill farm, the Bolles place, the Greene farms and hundreds of smaller irrigated homes are very productive. Thousands of tons of alfalfa were harvested this season. It sells at \$7 a ton baled, and stock feeding is a new indostry that will place much ready money in the hands of the farmers.

"The resignations of the P. I. & I. com-pany officials last week, which incident has created considerable talk over the territory, is only what might be expected on the completion of the building of the great irrigation works, there being no further necessity of the employment of men of such calibre as W. A. Hawkins and C. C. Blodgett, attorney and general man-ager. It is the general opinion that a conservative and economical policy will be pursued in the future and that genial and well-respected gentlemen, Mr. G. A. Richardson, who has so faithfully represented the company as assistant attorney, will represent the company's interest in the future in a legal way. While it is rumored that A. S. Goetz, the present Lost.—On Thursday morning between occupy the position of general manager, hand-painted fan. Leave at the Claire care to leave his present position at Colorado Springs, otherwise the mantle of general manager could fall on no more worthy a man than A. G. Draper, who, as assistant auditor, has been with the comand Parsons, who were in the points for pany from the start and is really the best the Santa Fes, they were successful in the Pecos valley, at Roswell and Eddy

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